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## **Amendment B**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed September 28, 2006. This amendment is being filed within the three-month shortened statutory period. However, Applicants conditionally petition for an extension of time to provide for the possibility that the need for such a petition has been inadvertently overlooked. As provided below, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2121 for any required fee.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.